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ITS USE AS LEUKOTRIENE B4
RECEPTOR

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination of this application, please amend it as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the first paragraph of the application with the following new paragraph:

This application is a continuation of U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/170,069, filed October 13, 1998, now abandoned, which claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application No. 60/061,789, filed October 14, 1997, and U.S. provisional patent application No. 60/081,958, filed April 15, 1998, the entire disclosures of all of which are relied upon and incorporated herein by reference.

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